

of passenger-carrying vehicles outside of the District of Columbia: *Provided*, That in the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture no expenditure shall be made hereunder until a sum or sums adequate to State cooperation shall have been appropriated, subscribed, or contributed by States, county, or local authorities or individuals or organizations.

Approved, May 2, 1929.

Proviso.
Cooperative State,
etc., contributions may
be required.

CHAP. 4.—An Act Making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the United States Marine Band in attending the Confederate Veterans' Reunion to be held at Charlotte, North Carolina, June 4 to June 7, inclusive, 1929.

May 9, 1929.

[H. R. 2158.]

[Public, No. 3.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$7,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to become available immediately, for defraying the expenses of the United States Marine Band in attending the Thirty-ninth Annual Reunion of the Confederate Veterans to be held at Charlotte, North Carolina, June 4 to June 7, inclusive, 1929, pursuant to the authorization contained in the Act of Congress entitled "An Act authorizing the attendance of the Marine Band at the Confederate Veterans' Reunion to be held at Charlotte, North Carolina," approved February 5, 1929.

Confederate Veter-
ans' Reunion, Char-
lotte, N. C.
Appropriation for at-
tendance at, of Marine
Band.

Vol. 45, p. 1151.

Approved, May 9, 1929.

CHAP. 5.—Joint Resolution To extend provisions of Public Resolution Numbered 92, Seventieth Congress, approved February 25, 1929.

May 17, 1929.

[H. J. Res. 59.]

[Pub. Res., No. 2.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the public resolution entitled "Joint Resolution for the relief of farmers in the storm and flood stricken areas of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Alabama," approved February 25, 1929, and any appropriation made thereunder, are hereby made applicable to any storm or flood occurring in any such area subsequently to the date of the enactment of such public resolution of February 25, 1929, and prior to the date of the enactment of this joint resolution: *Provided*, That the Secretary of Agriculture, in his discretion, may make loans and advances to vegetable and fruit growers for the fall and winter crop of 1929-1930 to an amount not exceeding \$25 per acre.

Flood-stricken areas
in southeastern South-
ern States.

Relief extended to
subsequent floods.

Vol. 45, pp. 1306, 1635.

Proviso.
Discretionary loans
for crop of 1929-1930.

Approved, May 17, 1929.

CHAP. 6.—Joint Resolution To amend Public Resolution Numbered 89, Seventieth Congress, second session, approved February 20, 1929, entitled "Joint resolution to provide for accepting, ratifying, and confirming the cessions of certain islands of the Samoan group to the United States, and for other purposes."

May 22, 1929.

[S. J. Res. 36.]

[Pub. Res., No. 3.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph (d) of Public Resolution Numbered 89, Seventieth Congress, second session, approved February 20, 1929, entitled "Joint resolution to provide for accepting, ratifying, and confirming the cessions of certain islands of the Samoan group to the United States, and for other purposes," is hereby amended as follows: In line 1, strike out the word "six" and substitute therefor the word "seven"; in line 3, strike

Samoan Islands ces-
sions.

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amended.

out the word "two" and substitute therefor the word "three"; and in line 3, between the words "chiefs" and "of," insert the words "or high chiefs", so that the said paragraph (d) will then read as follows:

Commissioners to recommend legislation.

Additional Samoan member authorized.
Post, p. 9.

"(d) The President shall appoint seven commissioners, two of whom shall be Members of the Senate, two of whom shall be Members of the House of Representatives, and three of whom shall be chiefs or high chiefs of the said islands of eastern Samoa, who shall, as soon as reasonably practicable, recommend to Congress such legislation concerning the islands of eastern Samoa as they shall deem necessary or proper."

Approved, May 22, 1929.

May 23, 1929.
[H. R. 22.]

[Public, No. 4.]

Richmond, Va.
Surveys, etc., directed of battle fields in vicinity of, and Cold Harbor.

Sum authorized for expenses.
Post, pp. 461, 910.

CHAP. 7.—An Act To provide for the study, investigation, and survey, for commemorative purposes, of battle fields in the vicinity of Richmond, Virginia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to have made studies, investigations, and surveys of the battle fields in the vicinity of Richmond, in the Commonwealth of Virginia, including the battle field of Cold Harbor, Virginia, for the purpose of preparing and submitting to Congress a general plan and such detailed project as may be required for properly commemorating such battle fields and other adjacent points of historical and military interest, in accordance with the classification set forth in House Report Numbered 1071, Sixty-ninth Congress, first session.

SEC. 2. To enable the Secretary of War to carry out the provisions of this Act, including the payment of mileage of officers of the Army and actual expenses of civilian employees traveling on duty in connection with the studies, investigations, and surveys, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$6,800, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be expended for the purposes of this Act.

Approved, May 23, 1929.

May 23, 1929.
[S. 616.]

[Public, No. 5.]

Boy Scouts of America.
Army equipment loaned to, for World Jamboree of, at Birkenhead, England.

Provisos.
No Federal expense for delivery, etc.

Bond required.

CHAP. 8.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of War to lend War Department equipment for use at the World Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United State of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to lend, at his discretion, to the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, for use at the World Jamboree, Boy Scouts, to be held at Birkenhead, England, in the months of July and August, 1929, one thousand six hundred cots, five thousand blankets, tentage for one thousand six hundred scouts: *Provided*, That no expense shall be caused the United States Government by the delivery and return of said property, the same to be delivered at such time prior to the holding of the said convention as may be agreed upon by the Secretary of War and the National Council, Boy Scouts of America: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of War before delivering said property shall take from the said Boy Scouts of America a good and sufficient bond for the safe return of said property in good order and condition, and the whole without expense to the United States.

Approved, May 28, 1929.